

Subject: Washington Greys medal
(Military Cadets)

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1040 Willett St.,
Schenectady, N.Y.,
August 23d, 1935.

American Numismatic Society,
Broadway and 156th St.,
New York City.

Dear Sirs:

I have temporarily in my possession a rather large medal,
two inches in diameter, three sixteenths of an inch thick.

One side, letters in relief, 1/8th inch high, next to the
outside edge, read - A.C.WASHINGTON GRAYS SEMI CENT^Y ANNIVERSARY
APRIL 19 1872 - Next toward the center are two branches in circular
form, open at the top, five pointed leaves bearing groups of fruit or
berries, tied at the bottom with single loop bow. Inside of this in
relief:

TO	in small letters,
OUR	in larger capitals,
FALLEN	in small letters
BRAVE	in larger letters.

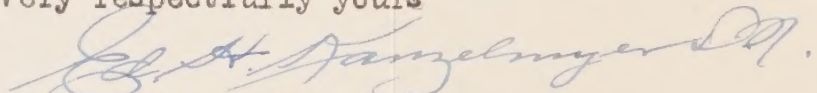
The other side bears in relief along the circular edge
two branches in circular form one of oak and the other either willow
or ivy tied with a double loop bow at the bottom. Within this wreath
are names of officers: four lieutenant colonels, three majors, four
captains and six lieutenants. Underneath this list of names and
directly above the knot is - U. S. VOLS.

I have been informed that only seventeen of these were made
and only three are known at present to be existent.

Do you have any information as to the relative interest or
value of this object.

My first inquiry was to the Metropolitan Museum but the reply
from Mr. Preston Remington suggested writing you.

Very respectfully yours



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August 30th, 1935

Mr. Ed. H. Kanzelmyer,
1040 Willett Street,
Schenectady, New York.

Dear Sir:

We are not acquainted with the Washington Grays you mention.
Nor can we find any facts about it. Although your piece may be rare,
it is very doubtful if it would bring very much, as there is little or
no interest for medals of this class in this country .

Very truly yours

Curator.